

02-23-05

IFW IMAGE

B #

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named
Inventor : Barry Wendt et al.

Appln. No.: 09/991,589 ✓

Filed : November 16, 2001

For : VECTOR SEGMENT FINGERPRINT
IDENTIFICATION

Docket No.: S30.12-0004

Group Art Unit: 2625

Examiner: Barry
Choobin

RESPONSE TO REQUEST BY EXAMINER

Attn: Examiner Barry Choobin
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

EXPRESS MAIL NO.
EV 464738877 US
DATE OF DEPOSIT:
FEBRUARY 22, 2005

Sir:

We originally filed a Petition to Accept Color Drawings on November 16, 2001. The Petition was submitted with the colored drawings and the appropriate fee.

Applicant is very anxious for a patent to issue in accordance with an already received Notice of Allowance. Applicant has contacted the Examiner and the Publications Department to inquire about the delay in processing. The Examiner, in an effort to advance this case toward issuance, has asked that Applicant re-submit a copy of the original Petition and colored drawings. As such, enclosed please find these items.

Respectfully submitted,

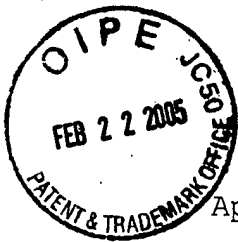
WESTMAN, CHAMPLIN & KELLY, P.A.

By:

Christopher L. Holt
Christopher L. Holt, Reg. No. 45,844
Suite 1600 - International Centre
900 Second Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-3319
Phone: (612) 334-3222 Fax: (612) 334-3312

The PRO and IPR receive the following
listed items: \$ 130.00

CLH/rkp
Enclosure



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Barry Wendt et al.

Appln. No.:

Filed : Herewith

For : IMAGE IDENTIFICATION
SYSTEM

Docket No.: S30.12-0004

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

**PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
ATTN: **GROUP DIRECTOR OF GROUP**
Washington, D.C. 20231

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER
IS BEING SENT BY EXPRESS MAIL, TO
THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR
PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231,
THIS

16th DAY OF November, 2001
Christopher J. Velt
PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

Petition is hereby made to accept color photographs as
drawings in the instant application.

Per 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b), enclosed herewith is:

- (i) a check in the amount of \$130.00, fee set forth in 37
C.F.R. §1.17(h);
- (ii) three (3) sets of photographs; and
- (iii) a black and white photocopy that accurately depicts, to
the extent possible, the subject matter shown in the
photos.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

WESTMAN, CHAMPLIN & KELLY, P.A.

By: Christopher L. Holt

Christopher L. Holt, Reg. No. 45,844
Suite 1600 - International Centre
900 Second Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-3319
Phone: (612) 334-3222 Fax: (612) 334-3312

CLH:slg